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**REPLY/AMENDMENT
FEE TRANSMITTAL**

Attorney Docket No.	1448.1049
Application Number	10/766,019
Filing Date	January 29, 2004
First Named Inventor	Masaki SUGIYAMA, et al.
Group Art Unit	2883

AMOUNT ENCLOSED	200.00	Examiner Name	Charlie Yu Peng
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FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 12/08/04)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	6	- 24 =	0	X \$ 50.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	6	- 5 =	1	X \$ 200.00 =	200.00

Since an Official Action set an original due date of _____, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months (\$1,590)); (5 months (\$2,160)):

If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$500.00)

If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$130.00)

Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)

Total of above Calculations = \$ 200.00

Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)

TOTAL FEES DUE = \$ 200.00

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(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".

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METHOD OF PAYMENT

- Check enclosed as payment.
- Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.
- No payment is enclosed.

GENERAL AUTHORIZATION

- If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:

Deposit Account No. 19-3935

Deposit Account Name STAAS & HALSEY LLP

- The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

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Signature		Date	January 27, 2006

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Docket No.: 1448.1049

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Masaki SUGIYAMA, et al.

Serial No. 10/766,019

Group Art Unit: 2883

Confirmation No. 2669

Filed: January 29, 2004

Examiner: Charlie Yu Peng

For: **OPTICAL WAVEGUIDE, OPTICAL DEVICE, AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING
OPTICAL WAVEGUIDE**

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed October 31, 2005.

In this Amendment, the "objected to" claims are amended to be in independent form, and the rejected claims are canceled. Therefore, it is respectfully submitted that entering this Amendment will clearly place the application in condition for allowance. Accordingly, although the Office Action was made Final, it is respectfully requested that this Amendment be entered.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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